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September 26, 2006

Ref: 4181-24164

Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re:

Hearing Application

19100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A

PROFIT ISLAND FIELD, East and West Baton Rouge

Parishes, Louisiana

Applicant: Pennington Oil & Gas Interests, LLC

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Pennington Oil & Gas Interests, LLC** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 19100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Profit Island Field, East and West Baton Rouge Parishes, Louisiana:

- 1. To redefine the 19100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR as 19100 TUSC RA SUA is concerned, as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the measured depths of 18,393 feet and 20,770 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Pennington Oil & Gas Interests, L.L.C.-Bueche Heirs No. 1 Well, located in Section 27, Township 5 South, Range 11 West, West Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana;
- 2. Simultaneously, with such redefinition, to confirm and continue in force and effect the exterior boundaries of the existing 19100 TUSC RA SUA for this redefined interval;
- 3. Except as may be in conflict with the provisions hereof, the provisions of 1075 Series of Office of Conservation Orders shall remain in full force and effect;

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4. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

The 19100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, Profit Island Field, West Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1075, effective September 18, 1979 and was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1075-A, effective February 20, 1980.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, a preapplication conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on September 26, 2006. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a list of the names and addresses of the parties who were in attendance at that conference.

The conference was opened by Mr. B. J. Duplantis. Mr. Chip LeBlanc of LeBlanc Geological Services presented the plan of applicant. Questions were asked and answered. It appears that there will be no opposition at the public hearing on this matter.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the 19100' TUSC RA SUA, Profit Island Field, East and West Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana and a list of the names and addresses of all interested owners, interested parties and represented parties who are known to the applicant after reasonable search. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all such parties.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this hearing application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. Chip LeBlanc of LeBlanc Geological Services, 2121 Ridgelake Dr., Suite 104, Metairie, LA 70002 (504) 828-8700.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

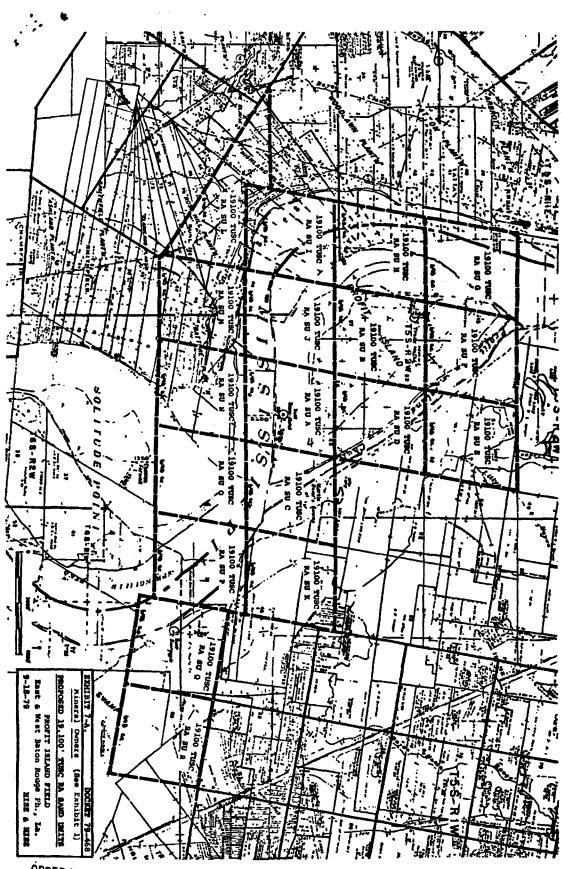
ery truly yours,

B. J. Duplantis

BJD/ht Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, District Manager Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties



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